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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir,

In response to the Office Action dated March 13, 2006(Paper No.: 20060224), please find the Response to Office Action, in 13 pages.

I believe that no fee is incurred. However, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees required in connection with the filing of this paper to account No. 50-2620 (Order No.: 12889-US-PA).

Thank you for your assistance in the subject matter. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

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## AMENDMENTS AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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**Sir:**

In reply to the Office Action dated March 13, 2006, Applicants respectfully submit the following Amendments and Remarks.

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